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Dear Sir:

## Enclosed please find the following documents:

- 1. Notice of Appeal and Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time (2 pages);
- 2. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review Form PTO/SB/33 (1 page);
- 3. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review (5 pages);
- Communication to Clarify Previously Submitted Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages), including Form PTO/SB/08b (1 page);
- 5. check in the amount of \$515.00; and
- 6. a return receipt postcard.

No additional fees are deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this response. However, if any other fee is required to preserve the pendency of the subject application, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 01-1785. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1785.

Respectfully submitted,

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